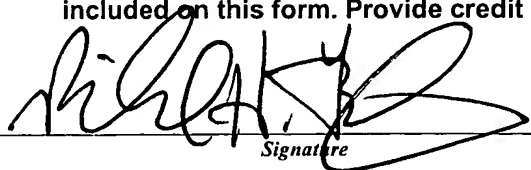


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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>(Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. 66376-328-7	
In Re Application Of: KAMMERDIENER, Thomas et al.					
Application No. 10/624,592	Filing Date 7/23/2003	Examiner CHANG, CHING	Customer No. 25269	Group Art Unit 3748	Confirmation No. 7533
Invention: <b>VARIABLE VALVE TRAIN FOR A CAM-ACTIVATED LIFTING VALVE OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE</b>					
<b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>10/5/2004</u> above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div>					
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start;"><div>from: <u>3/5/2005</u> <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div></div><div>until: <u>4/5/2005</u> <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div></div></div>					
The fee for the extension of time is \$570 and is to be paid as follows: <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-2223 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-2223 <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</div> <div style="margin-top: 10px;"><b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b></div>					
<div style="text-align: center;"> <small>Signature</small></div> <div><b>RICHARD H. TUSHIN</b> <b>DYKEMA GOSSETT PLLC</b> <b>CUSTOMER NO. 25269</b></div>			Dated: <b>APRIL 5, 2005</b>		
04/06/2005 SFELEKE1 00000044 042223 10624592 02 FC:1253 570.00 DA			<div>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on _____ <div style="text-align: center;"><small>(Date)</small></div><div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"><small>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</small></div><div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"><small>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</small></div></div>		
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